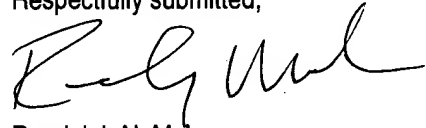





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<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>  Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated <u>February 25, 2003</u> of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claim(s) <u>3-4, 22, 24, 38 and 42-44.</u>  <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal fee not required (fee paid in prior appeal of this application) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal fee \$320.00 (37 CFR 1.17 (b)) <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) petition(s) under 37 CFR 1.136 for an extension of time to file the foregoing Notice of Appeal as follows: <div style="margin-left: 40px;"><input type="checkbox"/> One month (\$110.00) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (\$410.00) <b>accounted for in the Amendment Transmittal</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (\$930.00)</div> Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-0519 in the name of Amgen Inc. in the amount of \$320.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-0519. An original and one copy are enclosed.  <div style="text-align: right;">Respectfully submitted,  Randolph N. Mohr Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s) Registration No.: 45,590 Phone: (805) 447-8949 Date: July 25, 2003</div> <div style="text-align: right;">JUL 29 2003 TECH CENTER 1600/2900 RECEIVED</div>			
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